

0-3 Secondary Prevention Grants — FY 2008



Allegan Area Educational Service Agency

County Served: Allegan

Contact: Debby Scogin (269) 673-6954

Grant Amount: \$128,374

The 0-3 Prevention project will provide early identification and referrals, home visits, parenting education classes, and bilingual parenting services. The Parents as Teacher curriculum is utilized to strengthen parent's ability to understand their child's development and prepare them for school.

AuSable Valley Community Mental Health

County Served: Iosco and Ogemaw

Contact: Karen Deyarmond (989) 362-8636

Grant Amount: \$77,081

The Infant Mental Health Services provide home and community visits to families with multiple risk factors associated with child abuse and or neglect. Specialists are Qualified Children Mental Health Specialists who work with the family provide counseling, case management, parenting and child development education, advocacy, referrals and transportation.

Barry-Eaton District Health Department

County Served: Barry & Eaton

Contact: Suzanne Thuma (517) 541-2603

Grant Amount: \$124,360

Healthy Families Barry Eaton is a home visiting program that provides screening, assessment, parenting education, information/referral, and linkages with community services. Several curricula are utilized depending on the needs of the family.

Berrien County Health Dept./Capstone

County Served: Berrien

Contact: Ron Weber (269) 926-1979

Grant Amount: \$202,250

The Prenatal and Early Childhood Nurse Home Visitation program will provide parenting education and assessment through home visiting services to low-income, first-time mothers and their families.

BHK Child Development Board

County Served: Houghton-Keweenaw-Baraga

Contact: Rod Liimatainen (906) 482-3663

Grant Amount: \$193,532

Services include: In-home Infant Mental Health services, increased access to Public Health Infant Support Services, respite care, emergency and sick-child care, and coordination of services by a consolidated 0-3 advisory council. Baraga services provided include parenting education, play groups, Super Saturday programs, respite care, and linkages to health and other community services.

Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Community Health Agency

County Served: Hillsdale

Contact: Andrea Bricker (517) 437-7395 x116

Grant Amount: \$84,360

The Healthy Beginnings program is based on the Healthy Families model and promotes positive parent/child interaction, assesses families, and promotes health childhood growth and development. Services provided include screening, assessment, home visits, team planning, and referral to community services.

Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Com. Health Agency

County Served: Branch

Contact: Andrea Bricker (517) 437-7395 x116

Grant Amount: \$186,366

This project of the Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Community Health Agency and Branch County Intermediate School District and other community partners, will serve families with children newborn to three years old with identified risk factors. Families will be screened, assessed, and provided home visits to reduce abuse and neglect in the community using a Parents As Teachers curriculum.

Cadillac Area OASIS (Family Resource Center)

County Served: Wexford & Missaukee

Contact: Rhonda Weathers (231) 775-7299

Grant Amount: \$39,880

The Family Links Program provides home visiting services to families experiencing family, marital or partner conflict. Services include support services, parenting education, assisting the family in meeting medical, housing and childcare needs and helping to decrease family conflict and improve parent/child interaction.

Catholic Social Services

County Served: Muskegon

Contact: Pam Cohn (231) 726-4735

Grant Amount: \$164,354

The Healthy Families program is designed to promote healthy child and family development by reducing risk factors, promoting healthy habits, strengthening parent/child bonds, and empowering the family. Services include home visiting, parenting support and education, case management, support groups, and assistance in accessing community resources.

Catholic Social Services

Counties served: Washtenaw

Contact: Christina Rivest (734) 761-1440

Grant Amount: \$200,000

The Healthy Families Program provides home visiting services to at risk families with children age birth through three. Services include but are not limited to parenting support and education, advocacy, one-on-one supportive counseling, developmental screening, linkages to resources, transportation assistance, and education about positive health practices focusing on preventing child abuse and neglect.

Central Michigan Dist. Health Department

County Served: Clare

Contact: Catrina Weber (989) 539-6731 x 19

Grant Amount: \$46,263

Success by Three serves pregnant women and families through home visits that provide parent education, bonding, child development, community resources, and focus on individual needs. Program utilizes public health nurse and program coordinator to provide services and coordinate services to families enrolled.

Child and Family Resource Council

County Served: Kent County

Contact: Bev Crandall, M.S. (616) 454-HOPE

Grant Amount: \$200,000

Kent County Healthy Start is a program based on the Healthy Families America model and is a family support program for first-time parents to ensure the health, development and safety of children ages 0-3. Kent County Healthy Start services may include an in-home assessment, phone support, and/or home visitation. Phone call support continues through the first year of their baby's life and home visitation can continue up to their baby's third birthday.

Clinton County Family Resource Center

County Served: Clinton

Contact: Howard Comstock (989) 224-1173

Grant Amount: \$120,436

The Healthy Start program will provide universal screening of all births in Clinton County, service coordination and referrals, home visiting services focusing on child development and parent-child interactions, and long-term parenting education and support. The MELD model will also be utilized.

Community Healing Center

County Served: Kalamazoo

Contact: Aileen McKenna (269) 343-1651

Grant Amount: \$152,360

The Parents as Partners/Healthy Families program provides a variety of services including regularly scheduled home visits, parent support groups, and a monthly newsletter. The program uses a variety of curriculums to work with families on developing basic parenting skills and an understanding of child development.

Dickinson/Iron District Health Department

Counties Served: Dickinson & Iron

Contact: Joyce Ziegler (906) 265-4156

Grant Amount: \$81,448

The I.M.P.E.T.U.S. project provides home visiting services focused on improving outcomes for the family. Services include parenting education, Welcome Newborn Resource Guide, parenting newsletters, and information/referral.

District Health Department #2

Counties Served: Alcona, Iosco, Oscoda, & Ogemaw

Contact: Debra Baumann, R.N. (989) 345-5020

Grant Amount: \$162,250

The Family Matters program will provide in-home services to at-risk families in the four-county area who are not eligible for other support services. Services will also include: parenting classes, monthly newsletters, and information and referral.

District Health Department #4

County Served: Alpena

Contact: Rosanne Schultz (989) 354-4230

FY 2001 Grant Amount: \$123,244

The Day One program will be expanded by hiring two additional family support workers to serve all families identified as being at risk for child abuse and neglect. The program is modeled after the Healthy Families program and provides home visiting services, a parent support group, and information and referral.

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District Health Department #4

County Served: Montmorency
Contact: Rosanne Schultz (989) 354-4230
Grant Amount: \$71,371

The Day One program will provide enhanced parenting education and support through home visiting services. The Healthy Start model is being used with the Building Strong Families curriculum and will focus on child development, discipline techniques, and positive parent-child interaction.

District Health Department #10

Counties Served: Manistee & Crawford
Contact: Marcia Walter (231) 355-7553
Grant Amount: \$145,026

The Collaborative Parent Education project promotes agency collaboration in providing parent education to maximize resources for at risk families in the rural counties of Manistee and Crawford, using the Parents As Teachers Born to Learn curriculum.

District Health Department #10

Counties Served: Lake, Mason, & Oceana
Contact: Marcia Walter (231) 873-2193
Grant Amount: \$164,360

The Parents as Teachers model will be used to provide parent education support, information/referral, male parent involvement advocacy services, and in-home nurse visitation. Priority will be given to parenting teens or pregnant families.

The Development Center

County Served: Wayne
Contact: Marilyn Schmitt (313) 531-2500
Grant Amount: \$164,360

The After Baby Comes project serves families in the City of Detroit, western Wayne County, and the Downriver areas. Based on the Healthy Start Model, the project provides initial assessment, parent support, home visiting, supportive phone calls, infant massage, and educational and play group opportunities.

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Counties Served: Isabella & Montcalm
Contact: MaDonna Adkins (616) 754-9315
Grant Amount: \$119,452

Early Head Start provides home-based services for families with children 0-3 who have identified risk factors for child abuse and neglect. Services include: home visits, playgroups, parenting education & support, developmental assessments, health screenings & monitoring, linkage to community resources, and overall case management.

Family and Children Services

County Served: Calhoun
Contact: Ted Lindberg (269) 569-8380
Grant Amount: \$139,929

Healthy Families Calhoun provides home visiting services to families with children between the ages of 0-3 years who have been identified to have risk factors for child abuse and neglect. Services provided include assessment, parenting education, linkages to health care services, and case management.

Genesee Intermediate School District

County Served: Genesee
Contact: Gloria Bourdon (810) 591-4447
Grant Amount: \$84,360
Genesee I.S.D.'s S.K.I.P (Successful Kids Equals Involved Parents) uses the Parents as Teachers program model and curriculum. The program has an intensive home visitation component and educates parents on Safe Sleep principles.

Gratiot County Community Mental Health

County Served: Gratiot
Contact: Bob Radaz (989) 466-4163
Grant Amount: \$160,888
The Infant Mental Health Program at Gratiot County Community Mental Health serves at-risk mothers, fathers and infants with intensive, home-based services. The program offers case management, maternal infant psychotherapy, parent education and advocacy. The Infant Mental Health Model is used to promote attachment, improve parent-child relationships, and teach about developmental guidelines.

Heartland Community Services

County Served: Mecosta
Contact: Donald Guernsey 231-527-1890
Grant Amount: \$46,263
Parents and children will participate in the Nurturing Program. The program shall consist of group based activities and on site home visit. Families will receive weekly assistance through the combination of activities and transportation is provided to the group activities.

Heartland Community Services

County Served: Osceola
Contact: Donald Guernsey 866-792-2133
Grant Amount: \$110,930
Parents and children will participate in the Nurturing Parent Program. The program shall consist of group based activities and in-home visits. Families will receive weekly assistance through the combination of activities and transportation is provided to the group activities. Parents are also encouraged to participate in the parent support group which is designed to encourage parent networking and support.

Huron County Health Department

County Served: Huron
Contact: Gretchen Tenbusch (989) 269-9721
Grant Amount: \$48,749
Various services will be provided with the 0-3 grant including a 0-3 Family Mentor, playgroups, and a Parenting the Second and Third Year Newsletters.

Ingham County Health Department

County Served: Ingham
Contact: Lisa Chambers (517) 702-3520
Grant Amount: \$135,560
The Jump Start Family Outreach Program provides voluntary, intensive, long-term support and education to families through home visiting services using the Healthy Families America model.

Ionia County Intermediate School District

County Served: Ionia
Contact: Cheryl Granzo (616) 527-4900, x1410
Grant Amount: \$148,650
The Begin with Babies project targets families that are low income and have three or more identified risk factors. The Parents As Teachers curriculum is used to assist families to increase their parenting knowledge and skills. Playgroups and home visiting services are also provided.

Monroe County Intermediate School District

County Served: Monroe
Grant Amount: \$28,076
Contact: Douglas Redding (734) 242-5799 Ext. 1912
Project: The Great Expectations teen pregnancy Prevention program is a collaborative venture between the Monroe County ISD, the Health Department and the 9 local school districts. Pregnant teens and teen parents are provided education, information and referral, developmental assessment and parenting services through support groups and home visiting services.

MSU Extension – Bay County

County Served: Bay
Contact: Howard Wetters (989) 895-4026
Grant Amount: \$117,944
Expanded home visiting services, hospital screenings, a central intake and referral system that includes a 1-800 number, and educational and developmental mailings for enrolled families, will be provided for at-risk families in Bay County.

MSU Extension – Grand Traverse County

County Served: Grand Traverse
Contact: Jennifer Berkey (231) 922-4821
Grant Amount: \$147,575
The Healthy Futures program will be expanded by hiring one public health nurse to provide service coordination and home visits to at-risk families. Training on the Parents as Teachers Curriculum will also be available to county service providers.

MSU Extension – Sanilac County

County Served: Sanilac
Contact: Gail Innis (810) 648-2515
Grant Amount: \$84,360
Healthy Families Sanilac is modeled after the Healthy Start program and provides home visiting services to new parents. Through the program families learn about child development, nutrition and infant feeding, appropriate guidance and discipline, infant and toddler health care, and life skills.

Newaygo Public Schools

County Served: Newaygo
Contact: Terri Dodson-Seadorf (231) 652-3629
Grant Amount: \$162,250
The Parents as Teachers curriculum is integrated with direct services to strengthen the parent's ability to understand their child's development, improve parenting attitudes, and prepare the child for school. Monthly home visits, health information, early identification and referrals, parenting groups, and parenting education opportunities will also be provided to at-risk families.

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Northwest Michigan Com. Health Agency

Counties Served: Charlevoix & Emmet
Contact: Patricia Fralick (231) 347-6014
Grant Amount: \$95,574

The Teen Parent Program serves pregnant or parenting teens with parenting education, information and referral, home visits, and access to substance abuse services and medical care.

Oakland Family Services

County Served: Oakland
Contact: Jan Carpenter (248) 858-7766
Grant Amount: \$124,360

The Fussy Baby Program is targeted at families with infants and toddlers from birth to three years who are evidencing regulatory or behavioral difficulties that place them at high risk for abuse and neglect. The program offers assessment, service planning, coordination, and intervention in a strength-based, family friendly prevention service model.

Saginaw Co. Child Abuse & Neglect Council

County Served: Saginaw
Contact: Suzanne Greenberg (989) 752-7226
Grant Amount: \$204,360

The Birth Through Three Educational Program is based on the Healthy Families America model and utilizes the Parents as teacher, Building Strong Families, and SKI*HI Parent/Infant curriculums. The programs provides comprehensive assessment, weekly home visiting, and parent support services.

Salvation Army

County Served: Wayne
Contact: Maureen Northrup (313) 537-2130
Grant Amount: \$74,250

The Next Step program targets pregnant and parenting teenage mothers with 0-3 year old children. The grant will expand the program to serve more families and will also provide intensive services in the areas of home visits, case management, and group services.

Shiawassee County Health Department

County Served: Shiawassee
Contact: Rose Mary Asman (989) 743-2355
Grant Amount: \$139,884

The Healthy Families program will be expanded to provide home visiting services to at-risk families in Shiawassee County. Case management and linkages to other needed services will be provided by a multi-disciplinary team.

Spaulding for Children

County Served: Wayne
Contact: Ann Funchess (248) 443-0300
Grant Amount: \$164,360

The Parenting Consortium program targets low income families who live in Detroit, Highland Park, and Hamtramck who are pregnant or have at least one child between birth and age three. Services include parenting education, child assessment, health and economic support services, and linkages with community resources.

Spaulding for Children

County Served: Macomb
Contact: Ann Funchess (248) 443-0300
Grant Amount: \$200,000

This program has an Outreach Worker who will provide intensive services to address the risk factors for child maltreatment in families with children birth through 47 months of age. Family assessments (Individual Service Plans), case management, information and referral, and linkages to community services will be provided. Judson Center-Macomb will partner with Spaulding to provide parent training using the Nurturing Parenting Program, Parenting with Love & Logic, the Caring for My Family curriculum, and other models and curriculums as identified by the Advisory Committee based on client input.

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital

County Served: Oakland
Contact: Kathleen Strader (248) 335-5638
Melissa Freel (248) 335-5638 x 2

Grant Amount: \$164,360
Healthy Start/Healthy Families Oakland works with St. Joseph Mercy Hospital and Providence Hospital to screen all newborn families. At risk families will receive home visiting services to promote health child growth and development, improved parent-child relationships, and enhanced family functioning.

Tuscola County Health Department

County Served: Tuscola
Contact: Kathy Pokorski (989) 673-8114 x115
Grant Amount: \$135,898
Home visiting services will be expanded and support groups will be created for at-risk families in Tuscola County. Services will be coordinated through a central intake, assessment, and database tracking of families.

Van Buren Zero To Three Project

County served: Van Buren
Contact: Margie Murphy (269) 674-8091 x 385
Grant Amount: \$175,000

The Healthy Families Program provides home visiting services to at risk families with children age birth through three. Services include but are not limited to parenting support and education, advocacy, one-on-one supportive counseling, developmental screening, linkages to resources, transportation assistance, and education about positive health practices focusing on preventing child abuse and neglect.

Women's Resource Center

County Served: Livingston
Contact: Pam Carter (517) 548-2200
Grant Amount: \$63,608

The Healthy Families Livingston program serves at-risk families with home visiting services. By nurturing the parent or other caregiver, the Family Support Workers models appropriate behavior, encourages goal setting and health maintenance, teaches problem solving skills, and assists the family with health parent-child interaction and child development.



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